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1. The Director had breakfast with 14 members of the S.O.S. Club, a group of sophomore Republican Congressmen. The Deputies, Mr. Kirkpatrick and I also attended. Following breakfast, the Director answered specific questions on a variety of subjects. Messrs. Wainwright and Frelinghuysen raised the problem of the Mansfield Resolution, and the Director stated his views in full as to the objections to the bill, which largely relate to the Staff problem. Following the meeting, the Director invited Frelinghuysen and Wainwright to visit him again to discuss this matter in more detail. Also at the conclusion of the meeting, Congressman Bentley informed me that in the near future he would like to get together with those in this Agency who have been considering the problem of using Iron Curtain refugees in some sort of a military role as proposed originally by Congressman Kersten some years ago.

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